

**Public Notice on an Application for Participation in Tier I of Green Tier**

Pursuant to Section 299.83, Wis. Stats., the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) hereby gives notice that DNR has received an application for participation in Tier I of Green Tier from Federal Foam Technologies Inc. (FFT), 600 Wisconsin Drive, New Richmond, St. Croix County, WI 54017. FFT is an industry-leading, custom designer and fabricator of products utilizing polyurethane foams, custom laminates, closed cell rubber and other materials. As a Green Tier participant, FFT will utilize their Environmental Management System to aggressively pursue innovative methods for addressing those aspects of their operations that affect the environment.

**Additional information available**

Specific information on this application for participation in Tier I of Green Tier, on Federal Foam Technologies Inc. and on the Green Tier program can be accessed via the Internet at:

<http://dnr.wi.gov/org/caer/cea/environmental/comment/index.htm>

Or by contacting:

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Reasonable requests for the information in an alternate format will be provided to qualified individuals with disabilities.

**Opportunity for public to comment or request a public meeting**

DNR will accept written comments from the public regarding the application through Friday, February 17, 2006. Comments may be submitted to Mark Harings (see above).

Also within the 30-day comment period, individuals may request a public informational meeting concerning this application by submitting a written request to the DNR contact. If DNR determines there is significant interest in this application, DNR will hold a public informational meeting.

**How DNR will make final decisions**

DNR will determine whether the applicant has satisfied all of the eligibility requirements in sec. 299.83(3), Wis. Stats. If all eligibility requirements are met, DNR will approve this application unless doing so is not in the best interest of the Green Tier program. A decision by DNR to approve or deny an application for Tier I of Green Tier is not subject to review under state laws governing contested case hearings.

For the Secretary:

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/s/ Mark McDermid  
Mark McDermid, Director  
Bureau of Cooperative Environmental Assistance

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January 6, 2006  
Date